

THERE IS A LOT OF DIFFERENCE BETWEEN BUILDING THE BEST MOUSETRAP AND ACTUALLY CATCHING THE MICE.

## This Week

### Paragraphs of the Week

The Maine bond issue was defeated in light balloting Monday. Returns covering 40 communities compiled by Associated Press gave defeat of the measure by 2652 votes.

From the office of Robert Fehner, CCC Director, assurance has been issued that "members of the Civilian Conservation Corps cannot be inducted into the armed service of the United States." Every mother in America may be sure "that if her son is among the accepted October volunteers, he will not be put behind a gun."

Following complaints sugar was too scarce and too costly, President Roosevelt added some 500,000 tons of this commodity to the potential supply available to American consumers. A proclamation temporarily discarding the present legal limitation on the quantity of sugar which may be sold on the domestic market this year, was signed by the President Sept. 11.

The Agriculture Department forecast this year's production of potatoes at 364,208,000 bushels, compared with 371,617,000 last year. Maine heads the list with estimated yield of 230 bushels per acre and total production of 47,000,000 bushels.

Governor Lewis O. Barrows appealed to motorists in Maine to redouble their efforts to promote highway safety at the reopening of schools. He said that needless killing of children can be avoided if drivers, commercial and pleasure, heed the "School—Go Slow" signs. The Governor also urged children to "use your eyes, use your ears, then use your feet," and asked parents and teachers to remind the youngsters to be careful when on the streets.

U.S. land and sea patrols were sent to watch for belligerent vessels off the American coast. They were cautioned not to give aid to warring powers.

Plans of a tyro flier to hop the Atlantic, and "take a hand" in making Europe a land of peace, were stopped by Federal aeronautical officials when they grounded him at Manchester, N. H.

Germans and Frenchmen are reported to have gone swimming on their respective banks of the Rhine, in view of each other. None swam the river, though they removed uniforms and field boots for the dip during a lull in hostilities.

Twenty-one applications from Maine, totaling \$734,721 in PWA loans and grants, are to be returned because PWA has no money for them.

The Duke and Duchess of Windsor left France for England Sept. 3, where the former King Edward VIII will be assigned to war service. He was recalled by his successor to the British throne, George VI.

A branch of the British consulate service has been opened at Portland by H. D. Simonds of Berkshire, England. It was established to "help British subjects in every way possible during the war."

The University of Maine is one of 166 colleges in 41 states to be approved by the Civil Aeronautics Authority for participation in the civilian pilot training program. The program authorizes training about 11,000 new civilian pilots during the school year. All students will receive 72 hours of ground school instruction, and between 35 and 50 hours of flight instruction. It is expected that at least 300 colleges will have been approved by Sept. 15.

Judge E. E. Knight of Cleveland, Ohio, in an address before the New England Convention of Townsend Clubs, suggested that Dr. Francis E. Townsend, founder of the old age pension plan, be the mediator in settling the European conflict. Judge Knight believes the world would be immune from poverty, war and the present struggle, if the nations had provided for care of the destitute in some manner similar to Dr. Townsend's plan.

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## BETHEL GIRL TO REMAIN IN EUROPE

Miss Kathryn Herrick, daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. Arthur Herrick of Bethel, who went to Europe this summer to accept a teaching position, is now in London. According to recent letters she has had several opportunities offered her, including one near Paris, France, and much prefers to remain in Europe instead of returning home.

## MAN ARRESTED FOR BREAK AT KETCHUM

Raymond Clark, also known as Raymond Barber, 20, was arrested by Lewiston police at Green for breaks at Ketchum Tuesday night, Sept. 5.

He is reported to have stolen a 50 gallon drum of gasoline, 5 gallons of oil, 5 pounds of grease and 6 feet of 3/4 inch hose from the wood heel mill at Ketchum owned by Henry Laplante of Lewiston; also two tires, two wheels, a battery and distributor from a Ford sedan owned by Clyde Davis.

The break was reported to Deputy Sheriff Frank Hunt by Davis. Clark is now in the Auburn jail awaiting trial at the next term of court.

## FINAL SUNDAY TRAIN SEPT. 17

After next Sunday, Sept. 17, there will be no mail or passenger train service between Portland, Maine, and Coaticook, Que., on Sundays. Efforts are under way to arrange for a Sunday mail service, at least between Portland and Berlin, N. H.

## BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Robert Bisbee of Rumford was the guest of Mrs. H. H. Hastings last week.

The Merry Trollers 4-H Club will hold their local contest at the Legion Rooms at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, Sept. 19. The public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bean and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Bean and daughter Carolyn, of Springfield, Vt., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Jordan.

Clyde Stevens fortunately escaped uninjured last Friday when his truck lights went out and the truck hit the guard fence near Alder River bridge on the Bethel-Locke Mills road. The fence held the truck so that it did not tip over and the damage was not great.

Bill Goll of Miami, Fla., made an attempt to swim from shore to Boston Light with his hands and feet tied Sept. 10. He swam more than six miles before cross tides and bad weather forced him to quit, about a mile and a half from his goal.

The present European conflict brings the first declaration of war ever issued by Canada. In 1914, the Dominion merely published a copy of the British declaration. The 1939 war proclamation had little opposition. Canada followed Great Britain by a week in joining the war against Germany. Three other dominions, New Zealand, Australia and the Union of South Africa, had already issued war declarations. India is considered to be automatically at war with Germany upon England's formal declaration of war.

Dr. Winnington-Ingram, London's bachelor Bishop 38 years, will have enough money to live on when he retires this fall. He was never able to save even a penny. During the years, his secretary, Miss Catton, put away money each week from his housekeeping, entertaining and personal allowances out of his \$50,000 annual salary. He also received a check for \$5,056 subscribed by Londoners. He plans three missionary tours and will buy a car with the money left when he returns home.

## ONE MORE DAY

A copy of the New Universities Webster Dictionary will be given FREE, if requested, with each yearly new or renewal subscription to the Citizen received in this office before 6 p. m. Sept. 15.

## BETHEL DEFEATS ROXBURY IN FINAL GAME

Bethel ended their baseball season Sunday by defeating Roxbury in a league game by a score of 18-7. Neither team had played a game of baseball for at least a month and anyone who watched the game would have noticed it. Bethel jumped on Thomas in the first, third, fifth and eighth innings for scores of 3, 5, 4, and 6 respectively. Bethel held Roxbury to one run in the second until the sixth and seventh when they scored three runs in each frame.

### ROXBURY

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| Brown, ss      | 6  | 2  | 0  | 4 |
| E. Thomas, 1b  | 5  | 1  | 3  | 1 |
| J. Canwell, 3b | 4  | 1  | 2  | 1 |
| C. Canwell, c  | 5  | 0  | 9  | 1 |
| Paul, of       | 5  | 0  | 1  | 1 |
| C. Thomas, p   | 4  | 0  | 0  | 1 |
| Noble, lf      | 4  | 0  | 0  | 0 |
| Sargent, rf    | 4  | 2  | 0  | 0 |
| Swett, 2b      | 4  | 1  | 4  | 2 |

### BETHEL

|               | ab | bh | po | a |
|---------------|----|----|----|---|
| Stanley, 2b   | 6  | 3  | 2  | 2 |
| Littlehale, c | 5  | 1  | 10 | 1 |
| Doyen, rf     | 5  | 3  | 0  | 0 |
| Hood, lf      | 5  | 3  | 1  | 0 |
| Quimby, cf    | 4  | 1  | 2  | 0 |
| Bartlett, 1b  | 5  | 1  | 12 | 0 |
| Keddy, 3b     | 5  | 2  | 0  | 3 |
| Morgan, ss    | 5  | 2  | 0  | 3 |
| Gill, p       | 4  | 0  | 0  | 3 |

|         | ab | bh | po | a |
|---------|----|----|----|---|
| Roxbury | 0  | 1  | 0  | 0 |
| Bethel  | 3  | 0  | 5  | 0 |

Runs: Brown, E. Thomas, J. Canwell, C. Thomas, Noble, Swett, Stanley 2, Littlehale 2, Doyen 3, Hood 2, Quimby 2, Bartlett, Keddy 12, Morgan 2, Gill 2. Errors: Brown, E. Thomas 2, J. Canwell, C. Canwell, Paul, Noble, Swett, Bartlett, Keddy, Morgan 6, Gill. Two base hits: Swett, Hood. Three base hits: Brown, Morgan. Stolen bases: C. Thomas, Stanley 2, Littlehale, Doyen, Hood, Quimby, Bartlett, Keddy. Gill 5. Struck out, by Thomas 7. Left on bases: Roxbury 12, Bethel 5. Base on balls, off: Thomas 3, Gill 7. Hit, off: Thomas 16, Gill 7. Wild pitches: Thomas 2. Winning pitcher: Gill. Losing pitcher: Thomas. Umpires: Williamson and Littlehale.

## MRS. FRANK GODDARD

Mrs. Mildred Goddard, wife of Frank Goddard, died Thursday afternoon at her home after an illness of several years. She was born at South Durham, Que., Nov. 1, 1897, the daughter of Hugh and Clementine (Montgomery) McCutcheon.

Sept. 27, 1921, she was married to Mr. Goddard, and they had one son, Robert, who died a year ago. Mrs. Goddard had lived at Bethel for the past 18 years.

Besides her husband she is survived by three sisters, Mrs. A. K. Quimby of Malone, N. Y., Mrs. M. I. Thompson of Sherbrooke, Que., and Miss Violet McCutcheon of Grandby, Que.; and a brother, J. M. McCutcheon of Bethel.

Funeral services were held at South Durham, Que., Sunday.

## BAKED BEAN SUPPER

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at  
GRANGE HALL

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6 O'CLOCK SHARP  
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MEETING FOLLOWING SUPPER

## DR. WALLACE ADDRESSES BETHEL C. OF C.

The Bethel Chamber of Commerce held its first meeting since June at the rooms of the American Legion Tuesday evening. Preceding the meeting supper was served in the dining room by the ladies of the Legion Auxiliary. The business meeting was followed by a most enlightening talk by Dr. H. T. Wallace, pastor of the Bethel Congregational Church, on the subject of European Dictators. His discourse included a brief analysis of past and present conditions in the principal countries of Europe, and was followed by a period of questions and discussion.

## DISTRICT TOWNSEND CLUB MEETING HERE NEXT SUNDAY

The conference of the First District Townsend Clubs will be held at Bethaven Inn Sunday, Sept. 17. There will be sessions in the afternoon and evening. The speakers include John H. Weir, National Representative of New England Townsend Clubs; Judge Nelson Peters of Lewiston; and Hon. Frederick Payne, mayor of Augusta. The public is invited.

## CLARK—BROWNE

On Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Congregational Church, Miss Roberta Imogene Browne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Browne of Bethel became the bride of Philip G. Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Clark of Portland.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Herbert T. Wallace who used the double ring service. The decorations at the church which were white and green were in charge of Mrs. G. L. Thurston. The wedding music was played by Richard Russell, and two vocal solos were sung by Mrs. Margaret Carter Bean.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father, was gown in ivory satin with finger tip veil of ivory lace. She carried a bouquet of white roses and sweet peas. The matron of honor Mrs. Edward Clark of Portland, wore rose satin and carried a bouquet of roses and sweet peas.

Mr. Clark had as his best man his cousin, Edward Clark of Portland, and the ushers were Paul and Robert Browne, brothers of the bride. Nancy Van Den Kerckhoven was the ring bearer and wore blue dotted swiss.

A reception followed the wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ordell Anderson. Receiving with the bride couple were their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Browne. The refreshments included a three tier wedding cake, and were served by Mrs. Ordell Anderson and Mrs. Wilbur Myers, sisters of the bride, and Miss Lucy Cobb. The guest book was in charge of Miss Dorothy Clark of Portland, cousin of the bridegroom.

The bride's traveling suit was blue with wine accessories. The young couple will reside at Dover-Foxcroft, where Mr. Clark is a teacher at Foxcroft Academy. Mrs. Clark is a graduate of Gould Academy, class of 1936, and has been employed at Bethel Inn.

Mr. Clark is a graduate of Deering High School and was graduated from Dartmouth College in 1938. He has taught at Belvidere School, Lowell, Mass., and during the past year he was an instructor at Gould Academy. During the summer he was employed playing baseball at Drummondville, Que.

Guests from out of town at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clark, Mrs. Theresa Horne, Miss Dorothy Clark of Portland; Miss Lucy Cobb, Belfast; and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Everett, Falmouth.

## AAA ANNOUNCES 1940 PROGRAM

Wheat Allotment Increased  
—Others to be Announced—  
Tree Planting Encouraged

Provisions of the 1940 AAA program have been approved and will be made known to Maine farmers in plenty of time for them to plan cropping operations before planting time, according to the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

The provisions of the program dealing with agricultural conservation measures closely follow those in effect this year and are based on farmer recommendations. The wheat allotment of 62 million acres—7 million acres larger than the 1939 allotment—has already been announced, as have tentative wheat conservation and price adjustment payments which will total from 13 to 22 cents per bushel next year. Acreage goals for other major crops together with rates of payment will be established later in view of developing conditions.

Changes in the 1940 program recognize special conditions in certain areas and emphasize soil conservation on all farms the country over.

An important provision which will encourage further soil conservation measures on small farms insures that as much as \$20 may be earned on every farm participating in the program. Another important conservation provision will encourage the planting of forest trees on farms by allowing farmers to earn up to \$30 for tree planting, in addition to the regular soil-building allowance for the farm.

Soil-building practices have been provided to meet more adequately the needs for soil conservation, and special emphasis will be given to conservation of wildlife. In areas where food for the farm family is generally inadequate, a home-garden provision will be available. The new provisions also extend the commercial peanut and commercial vegetable programs to more counties than in 1939.

## NEW RESTAURANT OPENED TO PUBLIC TUESDAY

The Bethel Restaurant opened for business Tuesday noon. During the past summer the building has been completely modernized by the owner, Elmer C. Allen, and the new quarters and furnishings are very attractive. The chef is Merritt Harris, who has been employed as head chef at the New Linwood Hotel, Old Orchard, the past season, and he is assisted by Denton Allen of Mechanic Falls and Mrs. Elmer Bean and Miss Francine Warren of Bethel.

## ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Guy M. Crouse announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Elizabeth Crouse, to Kenneth Nelson Burgess of Sanford.

Miss Crouse was graduated with honors from Gould Academy in the class of 1938. She is employed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Merrill.

Mr. Burgess is the son of Mrs. Rubye M. Burgess and the late Ralph Burgess of Sanford. He attended Sanford High School. He is a prominent boxer and is employed in mills of the Goodall Worsted Co. at Sanford.

The marriage will take place late in September. They plan to reside in Sanford.

## ENGAGEMENT

Frank C. King of Bethel announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Frances E. King, to George R. Montgomery, son of Mrs. George Montgomery of Washington, Pa.



# People and Spots in the Late News



**BOMBERS' TARGETS?**... Figures on this map indicate flying distances in miles between principal cities of Europe. Inverness, British Admiralty base, is 450 miles from mouth of Baltic sea, reported blockaded by English fleet and short distance from Helgoland, scene of epic British-German naval battle of Aug. 28, 1914.



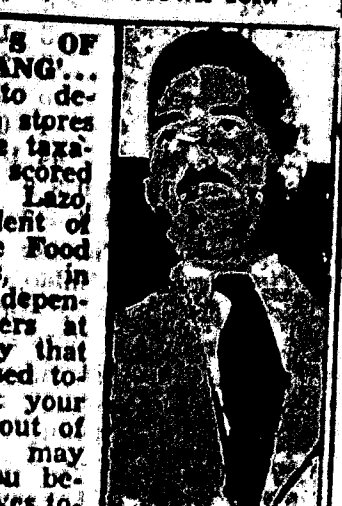
**FAME FOR FARMING**... Mrs. Lucille Gentzen, headliner at Goodrich arena World's Fair preview of 1940 rubber-tired farm machines, proudly displays muscle she developed in her winning 10-year battle to turn 165 rocky, run-down New Jersey acres into prosperous \$30,000 farm.



**RACQUETTE FRAMED**... Wally Van Horn, 17-year-old Californian whose brilliant play has convinced many critics he has best chance to become world's next outstanding tennis champ, was caught by camera as racquet framed his face during Davis Cup drills.



**BEAVER FOR FALL**... Plaistons of sheared beaver lend distinction and richness to this advance fall version of the small beret. The body of the hat is of brown felt.



**WOMEN'S OF 'BOOMERANG'**... Attempts to destroy chain stores by punitive taxation were scored by Hector Lazo, vice-president of Cooperative Food Distributors, in warning independent retailers at Kansas City that "a law passed today to put your competitor out of business may whack you between the eyes to."

**LARGEST U. S. LINER**... Even 20-foot propellers and 34-ton rudder look small in view of towering stern of \$17,000,000 "America," new U. S. bid for merchant marine honors, to go in service next spring. She's 723 feet long and will accommodate 1219 passengers.

## HANOVER

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dalley of Lawrence, Mass., were callers in town Labor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders attended the Reception held at Bridgton, Friday evening by Echo Temple, Pythian Sisters honoring Edna M. Hall Grand Chief of the Pythian Sisters of Maine.

Miss Gwendolin Thurlow has entered upon her duties as student nurse at the Rumford Community Hospital.

The Hanover School opened Monday with Miss Buck of Rumford as the teacher. She will stay at the Smith Homestead.

Sam Cushing is in poor health. Hanover Dowel Co. are rebuilding their dam by their mill. Clement Worcester is in charge.

Oscar Dyke was home for a few days. He has been at the Lakes all summer, employed by Mr. Pearsons.

Clarence Longfellow of Hallowell was a week-end guest of Mrs. Effie Dyer.

## TYPEWRITERS

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## ALBANY, VALLEY RD.

Harlan Bumpus attended the Fire Prevention School, held at Jefferson Notch Saturday.

Arthur Hazelton was in Dixfield on business Friday afternoon.

A party was held at the Cummings farm Sunday in honor of Mrs. Laura Bumpus' birthday, with the following guests: Mrs. Marlon Elliott and daughter Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Merriam and children, the Misses Sybil, Cora, Margaret and Madeline Bumpus, all of Auburn; Wallace and Allen Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Bumpus and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bumpus.

**A LETTER FROM HOME**

Welcome GIFT to the Former Resident

**IN THIS NEWSPAPER**

## BRYANT'S MARKET

— FRIDAY-SATURDAY —

|                 |                |                   |                      |
|-----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| CHUCK ROAST     | 1 lb. 25c      | MINCE MEAT        | 9 oz. pkg. 10c       |
| TOP ROUND STEAK | 1 lb. 33c      | IGA Pure          |                      |
| SWEET POTATOES  | 10 lbs. 25c    | VANILLA EXTRACT   | 2 oz. 23c            |
| New Crop CELERY | 2 for 23c      | Free Running SALT | 2 lbs. 7c            |
| Snowflake       |                | Clabber Girl      |                      |
| CAULIFLOWER     | 2 for 25c      | BAKING POWDER     | 10 oz. 10c           |
| Mountain Large  |                | IGA Full Count    |                      |
| BARTLETT PEARS  | doz. 33c       | MATCHES           | 6 boxes 21c          |
| IGA All Purpose |                | ORINGO            | 1 lb. 18c 3 lbs. 49c |
| COCOA           | 1 lb. pkg. 12c | Jacob's           |                      |
|                 |                | MUSHROOMS         | 2 oz. can 10c        |

## IGA STORES

## UPTON

Miss Etta Barnett returned to Rumford last week to attend Stephens High School.

Gordon Barnett has gone to Worcester, Mass., to attend a business school.

Mrs. Esther Williamson and daughter Doris spent last week with relatives in Bethel.

Charles Heywood's family and Mrs. Montague and daughter have returned to their homes after spending the summer here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Faulkenham of Andover were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sargent are running Birch Point Camps since the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Shaw.

Mrs. B. L. Juddkins is visiting friends at Gurnet this week.

Miss Lillian Juddkins of C. M. G. Hospital was home Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Angevine has gone to Farmington to keep house for her brother and three sisters who are attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Juddkins and family of Andover spent Saturday night with relatives.

Miss Marion Colby, who has spent the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vail, has returned to her home in Bethel.

Schools in town opened this week with the same teachers as last year—Aubrey Flanders of Sangerville for the higher grades and Miss Caroline Patterson of Gardiner for the lower grades. Mr. Flanders is boarding at Mrs. H. W. Whitney's and Miss Patterson at Mrs. K. A. Hinkley's.

Guy Pratt has the job of carrying school children. Albert Allen is driving his car at present. Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Peaslee and family have moved to Andover. Mrs. Ben Worster of Pittsburg, N. H., is visiting her son Edgar for a few days.

**Use of Fiery Cross in Scotland**  
Telegrams may be handier and swifter, but much of the romance of early days died when the fiery cross went out of use as a message in Scotland. The cross was made of two sticks of wood and the ends were burned in fire, then dipped in goat's blood. In emergencies two runners of the clan were each given a fiery cross and sent out through the countryside, to call the clan slogan and give the name of a meeting place. At each village a fresh runner took the cross and continued rallying the clan, for every male had to report to the chieftain at once. The last fiery cross recorded in Scotland was one sent out in 1746.

## SOUTH BETHEL

Charles and Alfred Mason and Gerald Walker are working for the Penley Brothers in the woods at Sunday River.

Joseph Leonard has been visiting on Howe Hill.

Francis Brooks has gone to Portland to work on the Railroad.

Ronald Brooks visited at Frank Brooks last week.

Tena Goodwin is working for Mrs. Shirley Chase.

Dorothy and Sylvia Hall of the lower grades, Mr. Flanders is North Waterford were callers in this place Sunday.

Bliss Collins and family were at Frank Brooks Saturday night.

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| Christian Herald             | 1 Year   |
| Cloverleaf American Review   | 6 Months |
| Country Home                 | 2 Years  |
| Mother's Home Life           | 2 Years  |
| Modern Picture Magazine      | 2 Years  |
| Movie Mirror                 | 1 Year   |
| National Live Stock Products | 1 Year   |
| Pictorial Review             | 2 Years  |
| Plymouth Rock Monthly        | 1 Year   |
| Poultry Tribune              | 2 Years  |
| True Experiences             | 1 Year   |
| Rhode Island Red Journal     | 1 Year   |
| True Romance                 | 2 Years  |
| Everybody's Poultry Magazine | 1 Year   |
| Farm Journal                 | 2 Years  |
| Good Stories                 | 2 Years  |
| Home Arts Needlework         | 2 Years  |
| Home Circle                  | 2 Years  |
| Home Friend                  | 2 Years  |
| Household Magazine           | 2 Years  |
| Lighthouse World             | 2 Years  |
| Love & Romance               | 1 Year   |
| McCall's                     | 1 Year   |
| Open Road (Boys)             | 1 Year   |
| Pastor's Magazine            | 6 Months |
| Pastor's (Weekly)            | 1 Year   |
| Romantic Story               | 1 Year   |
| Screen Book                  | 1 Year   |
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| True Confessions             | 1 Year   |
| Woman's World                | 1 Year   |

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## WOMEN

**CHARMING**  
Wepsala, of Columbia, holds Women's Ski C training at Jasi the Canadian R title and to rep 1940 International way. The Col slopes in Malig leys of North A tional park pr under the sum days Miss Wey mountain level Jasper Park Lo being devoted swimming as e to training for t event.

## BRYANT P

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**CONNECTICUT** b... belles of the ha Tomorrow" exhibi coveted crown of Buck, of "Bring E Living Magazine devised the Gener trants as to "beau awarded the crow owned by W. H. C by Miss Margueri the Connecticut e meeting for the oar bring from their to in on the f



## Woman Ski Champion Trains Under Summer Sun



**CHARMING**, graceful Gertrude Wepsala, of Vancouver, British Columbia, holder of the Canadian Women's Ski Championship, is now training at Jasper National Park in the Canadian Rockies to defend her title and to represent Canada at the 1940 International Ski Meet in Norway. The Columbia Icefield and slopes in Maligne and Tonquin Valleys of North America's largest national park provide snow for skiing under the summer sun. Alternate days Miss Wepsala skis at upper mountain levels in the vicinity of Jasper Park Lodge, the other days being devoted to riding, golf and swimming as exercise appropriate to training for the big international event.

Photograph: Canadian National Railway

## BRYANT POND

Mrs. Fred Cole of Westbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bacon and son, Vance, of West Paris, and Mrs. Lois Yates and Miss Fay Morgan of Greenwood were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Noyes.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Bertrand Whitman and children who have been stopping at the Whitman Homestead have returned to their home in Haverhill, Mass.

Mrs. Inez Whitman and daughters Edith and Clara went to Norway and Mechanic Falls Saturday afternoon and evening.

Harlan Abbott is working at the Rainbow tea room for a short time.

Miss Vivian Noyes, a student nurse at the Portland Hospital is having a vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Noyes and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Patterson of South Portland were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ned I. Swan.

Miss Ida Cushman returned to Farmington Normal School last Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Cushman, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Farrington and daughter Roberta spent the week-end at the Cushman cottage at South Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cummings and daughter, Erna, of Watertown, Mass. and Miss Marion Reed of Boston stayed at Camp Cole a few days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Noyes and children were week-end guests of her father, John Porter at South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith of Summit, N. J. have been staying at their cottage, The Capitol, for a vacation. Miss Verna Swan is working for them.

Mrs. Harriet Farnum and daughter Gertrude returned home Monday night from Bailey's Island where they have been on a vacation.

Miss Yerde Da Vee has gone to Andover, Mass., where she has a position as hostess at Andover Manse.

Postmaster Lee M. Rowe and wife and her uncle, J. M. Pameton have returned home from Canada where they went to visit relatives. Mrs. Marion Mason helped Mrs. Lois Davis in the Post Office during Mr. Rowe's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Berry of Gorham, N. H. spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Homer Farnum and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Farnum and daughter, Mary Stuart, Mrs. Norma Tirrell and Mr. and Mrs. Dana Berry went to Portland Sunday and saw Russian and Norwegian vessels in Portland Harbor. They went to Panther Pond, Raymond, and called on relatives.

The Woodstock A. C. ball boys were given a chicken pie supper at the Town Hall, Thursday night as a reward of their success.

Charlie DeShon won first prize and Helen Doughty second prize in the amateur contest at the Ken McKenzie show here last week.

**Mothersills**  
STOPS TRAVEL SICKNESS BY SEA, AIR AND TRAIN

## NORTH WOODSTOCK

Miss Marion Sherman of Bridgton is teacher of the North Woodstock School. She is boarding with Mrs. Herman Cole.

Wallace Klucklack was at Bethel Monday forenoon to have some dental work done.

Mrs. Nellie Abbott spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. George Abbott.

Mrs. Mertie Hardy is quite sick. Elwin Cushman is able to be out after having the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole and son Richard were at the Oxford County fair grounds Sunday. Mrs. Cole was also there Monday. They were assisting in the decorating of the Grange booth exhibit.

Several from this community attended Grange at Newry Saturday evening.

Herschel Abbott was at Norway on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis, son Robert, and Wallace Klucklack were at Rumford Monday afternoon.

Harland Abbott is working for a short time at the Rainbow Tea Room.

Mr. and Mrs. C. James Knights, Christine, Clyde and Mrs. Mary Knights were at the Franklin Memorial Hospital at Farmington Sunday. They have a friend there from Temple, a Mrs. Savage, who is 93 year old. She recently fell and broke her hip. On their way home they went to Jay and called to see Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brackett and family.

Harland Abbott and a Chase boy carried Herschel Abbott to Orono Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Lang and son spent Sunday with Mr. Lang's parents at West Paris.

## MILTON

Fay Billings and James Russell are going to high school at Bryant Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Haines of West Paris spent Wednesday evening with Mrs. Addie Lapham.

Miss Clara Jackson is having her house painted.

Callers at William Dyer's Wednesday were Mrs. Kittle Wilson and Mr. Hayes of Shelburne N. H. and Mrs. Albert Bennett and daughter Colleen of West Bethel.

Mrs. Ray Crockett of Bethel visited at Harry Billings Saturday.

School began at East Milton the 11th.

Mrs. Lillian Coffin will keep house for Miss Clara Jackson who teaches at Rumford.

Owen Davis of Locke Mills called on his mother, Mrs. Onelda Davis Sunday.

Everett Davis attended Grange meeting at Newry Saturday evening.

## MIDDLE INTERVALE

Miss Alice Capen has visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Jane Capen, for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Farwell of Lowell, Mass. and two children visited friends here last week.

Miss Dorothy Edwards of Poland, has returned to her duties as teacher at the Middle Intervale school. She boards with Mrs. Carey Stevens.

Lawrence Kimball of Lewiston spent a few days with his father last week.

Miss Jeanette Sanborn of Boston is spending a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sanborn. Mr. Burton Stevens is also a guest there.

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## WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. Sophie Conner and daughter Mrs. Alden Wilson were in Lewiston, Thursday.

Mrs. Kitty Wilson and daughter, Mrs. Al Bennett and children of West Bethel called at Alden Wilson's recently.

John Hazelton was a caller in town one day last week.

Mrs. Dora Carter and son spent last week at T. R. Carter's.

Bruce Bailey, Ray Cotton Jr. and friend, Choch Royal, were Sunday guests of T. R. Carter's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cotton, Choch Royal and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carter were in Berlin N. H. Sunday evening.

## WEST PARIS

Jack Parker, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Parker Allen of Bryant Pond, was christened at a private service at the First Universalist Church, West Paris, Sunday afternoon by the pastor, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin L. Bowker of Portland came Wednesday for a few days' visit with her aunt, Mrs. H. R. Tyell.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Coffin, Miss Mary Jacobson, and Mrs. H. R. Tyell are delegates to the Universalist State convention at Waterville Sept. 18, 19, and 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Chapman entertained Tuesday and Wednesday Mr. Chapman's nephew, Atley Chapman of Nova Scotia, and friends, Miss Irene Goodwin of Nova Scotia, and Connie Cogg and Elex MacLean of Charlottetown, P. E. I.

## LOCKE MILLS

Schools opened Monday and we are glad to welcome Mrs. Adams, Misses Kemp and Salls back again or another year.

John Tebbets leaves this week for Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swift are attending the World's Fair and also visiting their son Rodney in New York City.

Miss Florence Howe has returned to her school in Rumford.

Miss Claire Tebbets went Tuesday to Orono, where she will enter the University of Maine.

## NEWRY CORNER

Miss Josephine Smith has finished work at Bear River T House and is spending a few days with her mother in Bethel before going to Portland to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Emerson of Framingham, Mass. were recent overnight guests of her cousin, Mrs. Grace Arsenault.

Miss Sylvia Barnett has finished work at Poplar Tavern and returned to Upton.

A large crowd attended the joint Grange meeting Saturday night here at the hall.

Hyman Reed of Andover is working in town.

Schools commenced in town on Monday.

## HAIL, MISS AMERICOW!



**CONNECTICUT BEAUTY WINS**—Fifteen beautiful bovines, blueblood belles of the herd of 150 purebreds in the Borden "Dairy World of Tomorrow" exhibit at the New York World's Fair, competed for the coveted crown of Miss Americow. The judges (left to right) Frank Buck, of "Bring 'Em Back Alive" fame; Howard Smith, director of the Living Magazine Covers exhibit; and Norman Bel Geddes, artist who devised the General Motors futurama at the Fair, appraised the entrants as to "beauty, character, poise, intelligence and charm." They awarded the crown to a 6-year-old Ayrshire, Hornedbel Maggie, 2nd, owned by W. H. Carpenter, of Bridgeport, Conn., and escorted here by Miss Marguerite Zachs, of New Haven, a member of the staff of the Connecticut exhibit. Miss Americow shows her appreciation by mooing for the camera. The contest sent dozens of young women home from their tables in the nearby Children's World Restaurant to join in on the fun.

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**40 YEARS AGO in the NEWS**

Sept. 13, 1899

F. J. Tyler has moved into the new house recently purchased by him. The house he vacated will be occupied by Wilfred Bowler.

Magalloway—Forest fires have been burning on the lands of Seth Walker, M. D. Sturtevant, and B. M. Co., for the past two weeks. With the help of the rain, those who were fighting the fires have them under control.

**"THEY TELL ME"**

Did you ever notice that most folks won't enjoy themselves if they can help it? A lot of people, perhaps not most of them, put in a lot too much time in looking backward. Of course it's well enough to look back once in a while, especially if you are going to turn one way or the other. That's why they put mirrors on the cars nowadays. But you will notice that the windshield, to look ahead with, is a lot bigger than the mirror. Now perhaps I don't know what I am talking about but I think that NOW is a pretty good time, in spite of all the troubles of the present and in comparison with the pretty past and a hopeful future. Remember 35 or 40 years ago, when Bethel used to have a fair as good as anybody's. Remember the nice race track and all the horses, and the pulling, the lot of exhibits in the old church, and the merry-go-round, and all. And the crowds that packed through the old covered bridge, and the special trains and so fourth. Well, folks have changed a lot since then, and so has everything else. And Bethel's fair as it used to be has been about forgotten by many of the middle aged and older people. But Bethel and its people need the fair as much as they ever did. And I don't see why the right kind of a fair couldn't be started up again. The ideal place would be the old fairgrounds, but if that couldn't be arranged, there could be a lot of fun, entertainment and contests arranged on some other location. I would like to see what Bethel could do another year.

UNCLE HIRAM

**BETHEL AND VICINITY**

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wormell and son Bradford of Portland were Sunday guests of his mother, Mrs. H. L. Wormell, at Mrs. Annie Young's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gurney and little granddaughter and Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Gurney of Durham were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adney Gurney.

Mrs. Alice MacTague, who has office of Dr. E. L. Brown for several years, left Wednesday for her home in Calais, where she has a similar position.

**ON THE SPOT**



Misses Margaret and "Toots" Miss Muriel Bean returned Friday after spending two weeks with relatives at Old Orchard Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grange of Smyrna Mills called on Rev. and Mrs. M. A. Gordon, Friday.

Twenty-five members of the Epworth League enjoyed a corn roast at John Anderson's Tuesday evening.

Sheridan Chapman will go to Boston Friday, where he will study machine and tool making at Wentworth Institute.

**The SNAPSHOT GUILD**  
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A yellow filter—K-2 or "Q"—brings out the clouds in your pictures . . . makes shots more interesting and forceful. The red "A" filter makes skies quite dark; is good for special effects.

DO YOU use color filters in your picture taking? It's surprising the effect these little gadgets have in improving the quality of snapshots—and they're worth a try for anybody who wants to make his pictures better.

With the right filters you can obtain more desirable rendering of colored subjects in your black-and-white shots . . . retain clouds in outdoor pictures . . . darken skies for dramatic interest . . . even obtain beautiful moonlight effects on water scenes in the daytime!

If yours is a box camera or inexpensive folding model, you should have a filter which is medium yellow in color. This may be described simply as a "color filter," or by the number "K-2." If you use a finer camera with anastigmat lens, you should also have a "Q" filter (deep yellow) and an "A" filter (light red); but if you decide to get just one filter at the start, choose the medium yellow.

Each of these filters produces a different effect. The medium yellow or K-2 is a "correction" filter. Pictures taken through it show an improved rendering of tone values, compared to shots taken without a

filter. Clouds stand out, just about as the eye saw them in the original scene. And all colored objects are reproduced more nearly in their correct relative brightnesses.

The "Q" and "A" are "contrast" filters, for special effects. The "Q" darkens a blue sky considerably, and is useful for dramatic renderings. The "A" filter darkens blue still more—so that, for example, a white building can be made to stand out against an almost black sky in a picture. These filters also lighten objects of their own colors, making them appear brighter-than-normal in the print.

Each filter calls for some increase in exposure, depending on the film you use. Instructions covering this point are generally packed with the filter, and are quite easy to follow. An exposure factor of 2, for example, simply means to double the exposure. This would be accomplished by using the next larger lens opening—such as, 1/8 instead of 1/11.

Filters are simple to use . . . and can add materially to the quality and interest of your pictures. No camera hobbyist's kit is complete without them.

John van Guilder

Mrs. Beatrice Foster is having a week's vacation from her work at Sadie's Food Shoppe.

Reta and Rena Thompson are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bisbes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bailey have returned to their home on Church Street after spending the summer at their cottage at Tripp Lake.

Miss Esther Tyler returned Monday to her duties at Deering High School, Portland, after enjoying the summer vacation at her home here.

Franklin Bean of Old Orchard Beach and Roland Jones of Auburn who have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bean for two weeks, returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Van Den Kerckhoven attended the meeting of the Telephone Association of Maine at Lakewood last Thursday. Mr. Van was elected a director of the Association.

Preceding the regular meeting of Sunset Rebekah Lodge next Monday evening there will be a pot luck supper for Rebekahs and their families. Election of officers will take place at the meeting.

Mrs. Bernice Spearrin attended the funeral of Mrs. Charles Nichols at Lancaster, N. H., Friday. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moody, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Woodman and J. W. Chesley of Portland, who were her over night guests.

Norma Bean was given a party at her home Saturday in honor of her ninth birthday by her mother, Mrs. Gladys Bean. Mrs. Bean was assisted by Misses Wilma Bean and Alice Pierce. Games were enjoyed and refreshments served. Others present were Mary Wentzell, Lorraine Collins, Betty McAllister, Arlene Potter, Norma Hunt, Isabelle Bennett, Rachel Brown, Eleanor Young and Patsy Ann Tucker.

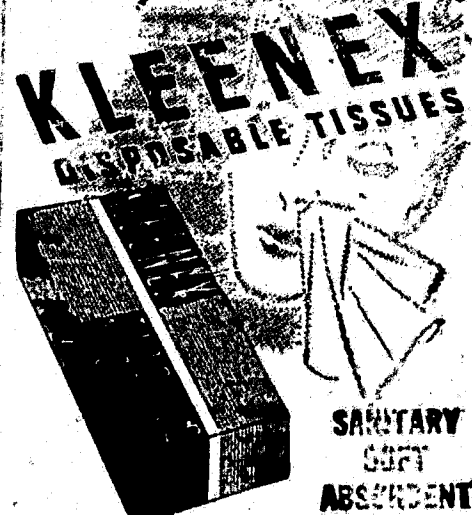
Rev. M. A. Gordon and P. C. Lapham are attending the Methodist conference at Waterville Wednesday and today.

George Taylor, who has been attending the National Rifle Matches at Camp Perry, Ohio, arrived in town Tuesday. He and Mrs. Taylor, who has spent several months here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn, will leave today for their home in Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Kathleen Wight, who left Sunday for Hartford, Conn., to enter the training school at the Hartford City Hospital, was given a farewell party at her home Friday afternoon. Games and singing were enjoyed and refreshments served. Those present besides the honor guest were Misses Barbara Hall, Virginia Smith, Mary Clough, Sylvia Bird, Madelyn Bird, Barbara Luxton, Muriel Hall and Arlene Greenleaf.

Fourteen Boy Scouts and their leaders, Gerard Williams, Earl Davis and Edwin Brown, enjoyed a week-end camping trip on Tumbledown Mountain in Weld. Scouts who made the trip were: David and Richard Kirk, Ruel and Roscoe Swain, Gilbert LeClair, Robert Greenleaf, Harold Anderson, Henry Robertson, Irving Brown, Glendon McAllister, Earl Hutchinson, Raymond Wentzell, Richard Bryant, and Edward Little.

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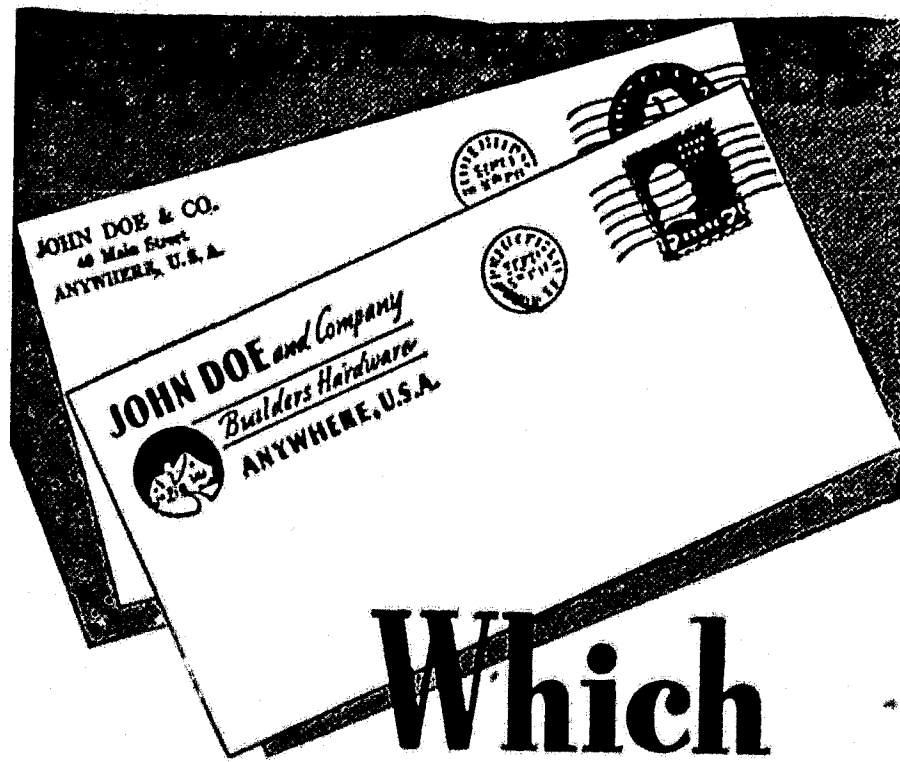
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**BETHEL**

Mr. and Mrs. M. and son Ned home in Dorchester.

Mr. and Mrs. turned Sunday evening days in Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Sunday night visit in Boston, Mass.

Lee Wyman home in Bridgton with his grade Allen.

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Miss Arlene B. James and Alfre ing Saturday to the World's Fair.

Miss Pauline Sunday from New has been employ Newagen Inn.

**Strange Tropics**

May Grow A strange tropical times attaining to the screw pine native Madagascar in height, writes in Nature magazine the plant is held aerial roots that the long sword-shaped up to three feet in grouped in a spiral ferent from the arrangement.

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In its native region useful for various fruits are eaten for the roots and leaves making hats, ropes and matting, and from the leaves.

**TRUTH**

If you want to do a amazing influence one of the extra div you every time you experiment.

First go into the s chant who doesn't probably won't be a very large store. Next go into the store of a merchant who does. See where you receive the most courteous, the most attractive, the most gracious service and treatment.

One of the big truths of advertising is that it not only saves you money when you buy, but also makes your buying ant.

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## BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hastings and son Ned have returned to their home in Dorchester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Edwards returned Sunday from a visit of several days in Portland and Bar Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Tyler returned Sunday night after a four days visit in Boston and New Bedford, Mass.

Lee Wyman has returned to his home in Bridgton after a long visit with his grandmother, Mrs. Sadie Allen.

Maynard Austin went to Orono Tuesday, where he entered the Freshman class of the University of Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hanscom returned Wednesday after spending the summer at their farm at Mechanic Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanscom and daughter Virginia of Ashburnham, Mass., are spending a few days in town.

Miss Arlene Brown, and brothers, James and Alfred Brown, are leaving Saturday to spend a week at the World's Fair.

Miss Pauline LaRue returned Sunday from Newagen, where she has been employed this summer at Newagen Inn.

## Strange Tropical Plant

## May Grow 60 Feet High

A strange tropical plant sometimes attaining tree size in Florida is the screw pine, which in its native Madagascar may reach 60 feet in height, writes Hugo H. Schroeder in Nature magazine. The base of the plant is held up on stilt-like aerial roots that grow in a cluster. The long sword-shaped leaves grow up to three feet in length; they are grouped in a spiral twist, quite different from the average leaf arrangement.

This plant, as well as other forms of the species, is extensively grown as a pot plant for home decoration, and conservatories, able to take care of good-sized plants under glass, show various species to good advantage. Some varieties have striped or variegated leaves, while others are unmarked.

It is called screw pine because of two different characteristics: The spiral twist of the leaves is responsible for the first half of the name, while "pine" was adopted because of the resemblance of the fruit to a rounded pine cone. These fruits grow to a diameter of six inches or more.

In its native regions the plant is useful for various purposes. The fruits are eaten for food, the fiber of the roots and leaves is used for making hats, ropes, baskets, bags and matting, and paper is made from the leaves.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE BRINGS LARGE AUDIENCE

There was an attendance of over 150, including many out-of-town people, at the Christian Science Church Tuesday evening, when Robert Stanley Ross, C. S. B., of New York City delivered a lecture entitled "Christian Science: Its Unlimited Possibilities." The speaker was introduced by Mrs. Mary Clark of the local church in her pleasing and gracious manner. Following is a condensed report of Mr. Ross' lecture:

My friends, would you like to know how to be well and happy? Would you like to know how to be free from fear and worry? Would you like to know how to be sure that all is well with your family, your friends, and your neighbors? More important still, would you like to know how to be kindly disposed toward all mankind and have them kindly disposed toward you. Of course you would, even while an unspiritual point of view may be arguing that all this would be an impossible attainment outside of heaven; impossible, that is to say, prior to the change called death.

## Divine Law Always Available

Ah but it is not an impossible attainment. There is a way, and it is the purpose of these lectures on Christian Science to make it plain. Does mathematical law, for example, place any obstructions, either here or hereafter, in the path of those who would scale the heights of numerical achievement? Does mathematics teach that there will be anything possible in the hereafter that is not possible now? Certainly not. One need only bring enough alertness, obedience, and application to bear in order to prove this to be true. The same rule holds good with reference to the demonstration of divine law, which is the law of unlimited possibilities to all who progressively respond to its sacred, its imperative demands.

In other words, Christian Science has come to show mankind that divine law is the law of health, joy, and blessedness to present human experience. It has come to show that, in view of the divine ever-presence, there is as much good available to us today as there was yesterday and as there will be tomorrow. Yea, it has come to show that, if it will be possible for us to do God's will in the future, it is possible for us to do it now. Accordingly, it can no longer be truthfully said by anyone, who is willing prayerfully to turn to divine law for help, that he is as one "having no hope, and without God in the world."

Contrary to common belief, there

is no mystery about Christian Science healing. Anyone can understand it. The clearer one senses its unlabored simplicity, the easier it is for him to utilize its divine Principle. Through this Principle, the healing power of God becomes available to all as certainly as it was to those Biblical characters whose lives we contemplate with admiration and reverence. Surely, "God is no respecter of persons!" He loves you and me as impartially as He loved them. The great difference between them and us is due, not to divine favoritism, but to the fact that they both recognized that God loved them and prayerfully rejoiced in it; whereas we do not. We are inclined rather to look to the future in which to utilize the law of ever-present Love; whereas they knew, in words of Paul, that "now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation."

## Spiritual Discovery

You and I are living in times of thrilling adventure and amazing discovery. We are living in what is commonly referred to as a scientific, inventive age. Knowledge of physical science, for example, is rapidly enlarging. Recognizing that whatever is valuable must first be useful, our tendency, as practically minded people, is to reduce everything to a workable basis. In addition to the older systems, such as mathematics, astronomy, architecture, navigation, and chemistry, we now have the science of electricity, engineering, economics, physics, geology, acoustics, mineralogy, aeronautics, and so on, to mention only a few.

In view of this world-wide tendency to reduce human modes to a systematic, workable basis, should we not be prepared to welcome the very Science of Life, the Science of being, or Christian Science? Not long hence, the world at large, still judging (reasoning) according to the appearance, will wake to the fact that Mary Baker Eddy has not only founded and led a great religious movement, but that she has accomplished, in the realm of spiritual discovery, that which entitles her to pre-eminence amongst the scientifically great of all ages. She has made it possible for all

who will to judge righteous judgment. That is to say, she has made it possible for all who will to reason in terms of reality and to heal by the spiritual power which it imparts.

Columbus believed there were undiscovered lands beyond the sea. Galileo believed there was a basic law governing the stellar system. Newton believed there was an invariable law which caused the apple to fall. Watt believed there was a law by which steam could be converted into motive power. Franklin believed there was a law of relationship between lightning and electricity. Marconi believed there was a law by which messages could be transmitted without the use of wires. And Mary Baker Eddy believed there was a divine law governing in perfect harmony the real or spiritual universe including individual, impersonal, spiritual man. She believed that, if invoked in meekness and love, this divine law would bring about health, happiness, peace, and a more abundant life in present human experience. All these discoveries were searched and found, after which they no longer believed; they knew.

Unlike all others, however, Mrs. Eddy's discovery transcended the realm of sight and sound. It lifted her consciousness above the dream of time into eternity, and beyond the sense of space into infinity. She learned that the divine Principle, starting point, or working basis of Christian healing was the absolute truth about God, man, and the universe, namely, infinite good or present spiritual perfection. She saw that what the Bible refers to as creation having taken place in seven days, was simply the author's highly figurative, typically Oriental way of saying that self-existent Truth or divine reality dwains upon individual human consciousness—sometimes slow, sometimes fast—in seven periods of spiritual unfoldment, the seventh day symbolizing ascension, or consciousness rising entirely above matter or material belief, into the allness and everywhere-ness of Spirit.

Writing on page 520 of the Christian Science textbook, "Science and

Health with Key to the Scriptures," Mrs. Eddy says, "The numerals of infinity, called seven days, can never be reckoned according to the calendar of time. These days will appear as mortality disappears, and they will reveal eternity, newness of Life, in which all sense of error forever disappears and thought accepts the divine infinite calculus."



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## TRUTH about ADVERTISING

By CHARLES B. ROTH

## FINE GOLD

IF YOU want to discover the humanizing influence of advertising, one of the extra dividends it pays you every time you buy, make this experiment:

First go into the store of a merchant who doesn't advertise; it probably won't be a very large store. Next go into the store of a merchant who does. See where you receive the most courteous, the most attractive, the most gracious service and treatment.

One of the big truths of advertising is that it not only saves you money when you buy, but also makes your buying more pleasant.

The merchant who advertises has an obligation to uphold—the obligation of fair prices and better services. This obligation becomes the ideal of his business. Whatever the advertising says about his goods and his store he feels he must provide. As a result, the intangible influence of the printed word makes itself felt in the courtesy, consideration and desire to serve of every member of his organization.

You may have noticed that when a store begins to advertise something

takes place. Its employees, clear down to the delivery boy, become seized with the inspiration the advertising has set up.

The reason for this influence of advertising is not hard to find. The advertiser is a leader, and every leader has an obligation.

You as a customer benefit greatly by this indirect value of advertising. You benefit in additional courtesy, additional consideration and in the additional value you receive for your money, because advertising has always been the one means by which prices have been brought down.

The merchant who advertises sets himself up as a price and quality standard for the community. You buy from him and receive the most for your money. And you also receive the most in human values—in what a wise man once called "the fine gold of business."

The time when business is the pleasantest is when a fine sense of mutual confidence exists between buyer and seller. In helping bring this feeling about, newspaper advertising contributes something to business which is of as much value as its practical services.

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Name..... St. or R.F.D.....



### EAST BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haines celebrated the silver wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bates Yates in Woodstock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Noyes, Marilyn and Carolyn Noyes, Mrs. G. L. Haines were in North Norway Sunday. Mrs. Hannah Coolidge of Locke Mills accompanied them and returned with them to spend this week with Mrs. Noyes.

William Hastings ran his hand into a planer knife (electrically operated) losing the end of little finger, half of the next one and cutting into the middle finger quite badly, Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings, Virginia, Mary Alice, Warren and Ann Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. William Hastings, Barbara, Billy and Edward Hastings and Mr. and Mrs. John Howe were guests at Hugh Hastings camp in Fryeburg Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Graves of Rockland was a guest the past week of her sister, Mrs. Urban Bartlett. Earl Graves was a guest of Mrs. Bartlett Monday night. Both returned to their home Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Wendell Edmunds of Norway was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Harrington.

Guests of Mrs. Freeman Merrill Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Will Tyler and two children from Dixfield and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fades and three daughters of Shelbyville, Ind.

Mrs. Walter Rand and Christine Dorey were guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Ida Blake Sunday.

### SOUTH WOODSTOCK

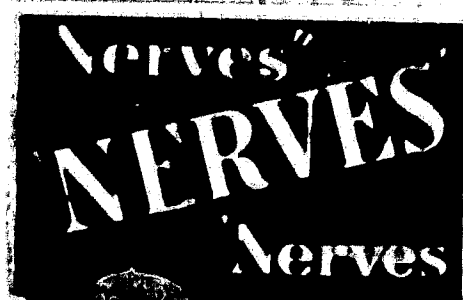
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant and daughter, June of Bryant Pond were Sunday afternoon callers of her father, P. J. Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Herrick Davis and Ralph Davis of Freeport were Sunday dinner guests of their niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Davis, the occasion being the birthday of both Mrs. Davis and that of her uncle, a beautiful decorated cake was given them by Mrs. Leonard Austin.

Union school opened here Sept. 5 with the same teachers, Mrs. Mary Fleming and Mrs. Olive Davis.

The three children of Mr. and Mrs. Gayden Davis are having the whooping cough.

Ruth, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Noyes, fell last week, striking her head on a rock and cutting a gash in her head, making it necessary to take three stitches.



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### CENTER LOVELL

Among the people leaving for their homes in the city the past week were the Bloomgarts, Barnards, Beckers, Wares, and Marlon Zimmerman.

The Circle was entertained Friday by Lillie Fox and Minnie Sawyer. \$12.76 was cleared.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Horr from South Paris were supper guests Saturday at their nephew's, Marcus Stearns', at West Lovell.

Schools in town commenced Tuesday, Sept. 5th. Fryeburg Academy opened Sept. 11th. Clint Andrews is driving the bus from Lovell.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton McAlister and baby were Sunday callers at her mother's, Mattie McAlister's, at the village and his father's, S. H. McAlister's.

Burton Stearns worked for his brother George, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ware and Mrs. Marlon Ware were supper guests at H. C. McKeen's Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stearns from Bridgton called on his sister, Sarah Merrill, on Shave Hill Sunday, also were supper guests at his brother's, Burton Stearns', at West Lovell.

Mrs. Kenneth Merrill is entertaining her mother for a few weeks.

### EAST STONEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Salfner of Glen Ridge, N. J. arrived Saturday at the Miller camp and will stay for the month of September.

The Daughters of Veterans and families enjoyed a picnic dinner at Fryeburg Center Camp Grounds Sunday. There were 37 present. The men played horseshoes while the ladies cooked the dinner. Corn was roasted at the open fire and everyone voted it a very pleasant occasion.

Hazel Files and Vesta Barker were in Portland for the day Wednesday.

Alice Dionne has finished work at Farrington's Camps and is at home.

V. H. Littlefield and Miss Minnie Littlefield have been visiting relatives in Claremont, N. H.

Carlton Barker of Stoneham, Otis Mudge of Franklin, N. H., and Howard Jewett of Portland spent Saturday night on Bald Face Mountain.

Mrs. Otis Mudge spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. A. J. Anderson, at their log cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fling and friends from Millinocket are staying at Gertrude Adams summer home on Butters Hill, for a few days.

### SONGO POND

The Misses Marjorie, Doris, Eunice and Phyllis Winslow of Scarborough who have been visiting their uncle Herbert Winslow and family at their cottage here have returned home.

Joe Hamel and Fred Murphy have left for Houlton to work in the potato fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Saunders of Bethel called at her mother's Mrs. H. N. Grindle's Sunday.

The children from this vicinity started school at Bethel Monday morning with a few new scholars.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle were supper guests of her sister, Mrs. Zella Smith and family at Locke Mills Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimball and Mrs. Maud Grindle and daughter, Evelyn were in Bethel and Locke Mills Saturday evening.

Glenn Swan of Riddellville was at their place here Sunday. Hollis Grindle is cutting his firewood for winter this week.

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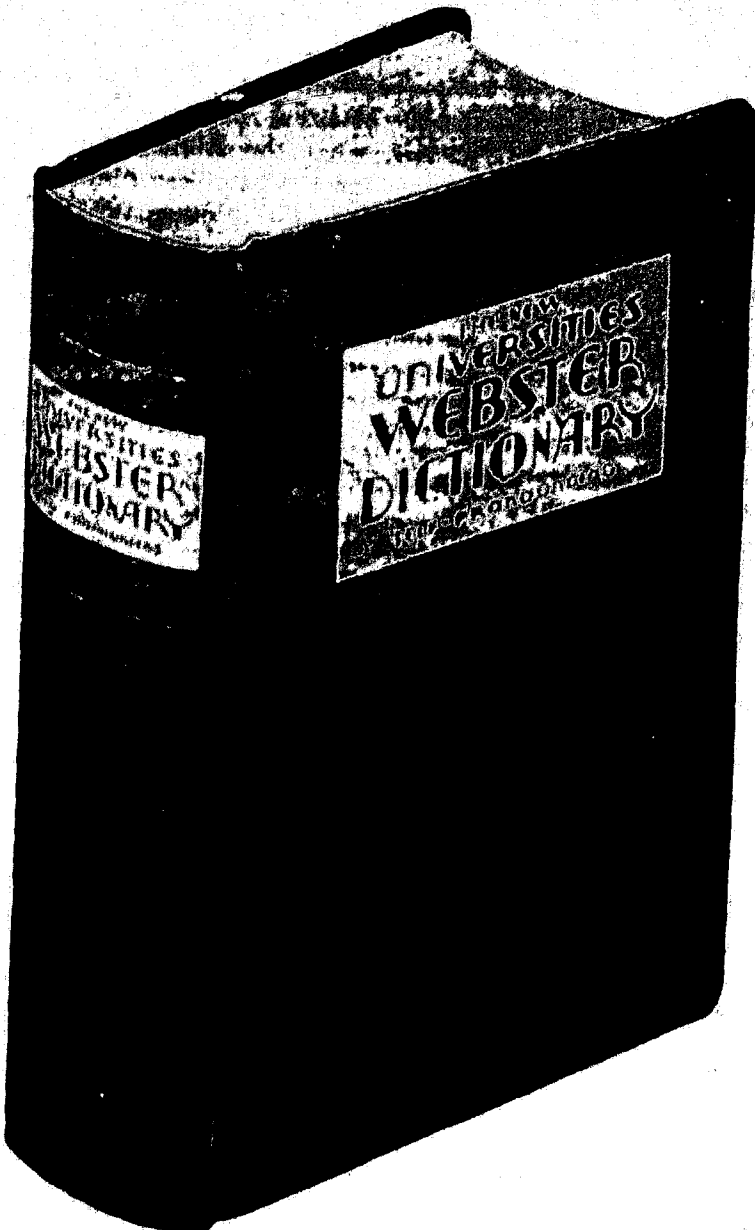
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To all persons of the Estate of a Probate

At a Probate Court in and for the County of Oxford, Maine, on the 14th day of August, 1939, in the case of the Estate of John E. Moore, deceased, the following order was made:

Ordered: That notice be given to all persons interested in the estate of the said John E. Moore, deceased, by publishing a copy of this order in the Oxford County Free Press, a newspaper published in the County of Oxford, Maine, for three consecutive weeks, beginning on the 14th day of August, 1939, and continuing until the 11th day of September, 1939.

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STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Rumford in and for the County of Oxford, on the fourth Tuesday of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, from day to day from the fourth Tuesday of said August. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the third Tuesday of September, A. D. 1939, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Charles H. Cole, late of Gilead, deceased; Will and Petition for the appointment of Russell Cole and Shirley M. Cole as Administrators with the Will annexed, without bond, presented by Russell Cole and Shirley M. Cole, Son and Daughter.

Hersey E. Fernald, late of Bethel, deceased; Twelfth trust account presented for allowance by Ellery C. Park, trustee.

John E. Morse, late of Hanover, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Edna G. Morse as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Edna G. Morse, the executrix therein named.

Lucetta B. Pierce, late of Woodstock, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Francis A. Bean, executor.

William J. Upson, late of Bethel, deceased; Fifth account presented for allowance by Nina H. Upson, administratrix.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Rumford this fourth Tuesday of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

34 EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Exr. of the estate of Fred E. Gordon late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, with bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

GERARD S. WILLIAMS  
Bethel, Maine

Aug. 22nd 1939.

For Better or Worse

By RAY HILL  
(McClure Syndicate.)  
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"FIVE hundred dollars," Barry Coleman was saying, "five hundred dollars—and, Titi, they're all ours!" He spread the bills fanlike in her lap.

"Not bad, eh, dear?" he went on. "Soon—a year or two more—and we'll have enough. Then . . ."

Barry finished the thought with a kiss.

Titi McArthur snuggled closer to him and unconsciously permitted one hand to sift through the money. She loved Barry dearly. And this money—why, every bill was a monumental symbol of his sacrifice at the altar of his great love for her.

"Oh, I'm so happy," she murmured. "But why must we wait so long? Let's get married tomorrow!"

"We've waited one whole year," he said. "Let's be patient till we have enough to furnish our own home and be able to pay our own way."

Gathering the money together Barry bundled it neatly into her hand. "Keep this, Precious," he said, "then we'll both know it's safe. And now I'll run along. Got a busy day tomorrow."

"Seems to me you've always got a busy day ahead," said Jimmy, Titi's brother, coming into the room. "Incidentally," he continued, "just why do you work so hard and what's it get you? If you'd cash in on some of these tips I give you . . ."

"Thanks, anyway," Barry smiled; "I'm not a betting man."

"You could make yourself some easy dough," Jimmy persisted. "Tomorrow, for instance, I happen to know it's in the bag for Robin-

SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



son to win in the third. The odds will be terrific."

Long after Barry had gone Titi sat on her bed and counted the five hundred dollars. Her mind everlastingly jumped back to what Jimmy had said about Robinson.

"Next morning as usual Jimmy read the sports pages at the breakfast table. 'Too bad Barry won't go for some of my tips,' he said, 'Especially that one I gave him last night. This Robinson can't lose. Pop Smith got that from Al Newman himself. Why, say, Pop even gave me the dope on playing the jockeys instead of the horses and I've cleaned up regularly ever since.'"

Over and over again Titi pictured Barry Coleman's struggle during the past year. And if Jimmy was right this money—this five hundred dollars—could be multiplied so quickly that their worries would be over. When she won they could be married right away. If she lost . . .

Titi picked up the paper Jimmy had been reading. Racing Entries—the headline leaped from the sport page to catch her eye. She found herself looking for Robinson in the third race at each of the five tracks listed. Nowhere could she find a horse of that name. Suddenly she recalled Jimmy's remarks about betting on jockeys. She searched again.

There, at Latonia in the third. Jockey W. Robinson was scheduled to ride a horse named Lover's Prayer!

Lover's Prayer! The very name of the horse dispersed all further doubt. Forthwith she secured the money from her bureau drawer and was speeding to Pop Smith's cigar store on Second street.

"I'm Jimmy McArthur's sister," she explained to Smith, "and I want to place a bet on Lover's Prayer in the third race at Latonia."

Smith cautioned Titi the horse didn't have a chance to win. Then,

when he learned the size of the bet he tried to have her play it across the board.

"To win," Titi insisted.

"Okay, Lady," Smith said. "It's your funeral."

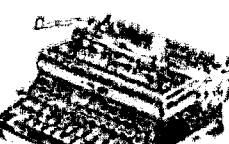
"Please don't ever mention this to my brother."

When she had taken less than a dozen steps Titi realized she was becoming very weak at the knees.

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"Did I win?" she fairly screamed.

"Did you win?" that worthy repeated. "I'll say you won. What a cleanup! That nag paid \$10.90. Here's your \$5,450 . . ."

Titi was as nervous as a cat when Barry called that night.

"I've been so foolish, Barry," she sobbed, as she told Barry the story, "but I do so want to get married right away."

Barry kissed her gently. "You're forgiven, sweetheart," he said, "and we'll get married tomorrow. Only promise me that you'll never bet again."

Jimmy, returning home from the prize fights, stuck his head in the door and said: "Glad you didn't take me up on that tip, Barry, old kid, or you'd have gone to the cleaners, too. That rat Robinson crossed the boys and took a dive in the first round tonight. Giltner never even hit him! Some joke, eh boss?"

"Joke nothing," Barry snapped. "Get a glass of water quickly—Titi's fainted!"

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## MISCELLANEOUS

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LARGE ATTENDANCE AT  
THREE POINT MEETING

Bear River Grange, No. 285, Norway, held a special three point meeting Saturday evening, September 9. Franklin Grange, Woodstock, conferred the first and second degrees on four candidates. The work was very impressive and was enjoyed greatly by all present. The tableaux deserve special mention, as they added greatly to the ritualistic work.

Rumford Grange, Rumford Center brought two candidates and furnished the program.

The census for the evening was as follows: Franklin Grange, 46; Rumford Grange, 39; Bear River Grange, 29; Upton, 6; Lone Mountain, 2; Paris, 5; Newburg, 1; Bethel, 4; The Lecturer of Rumford Grange, Miss Katharine Elliott presented the following program.

Singing, Grange Reading with encore "The Story of a Husband" by Mrs. Harriet Murphy. Selection, Men's Chorus of Rumford Grange. Cornet Solo and encore, Webster Learned.

Remarks by Bro. O. W. Q. Perham of Bryant Pond, Rev. Mr. Manter of Upton, Rev. Mr. Brewster of Rumford Center and Alexander Stearns of Paris.

Due to the lateness of the hour the program was curtailed. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served, and a number of dances were enjoyed thanks to the kindness of Franklin Grange Orchestra and Bro. and Sister Wright.

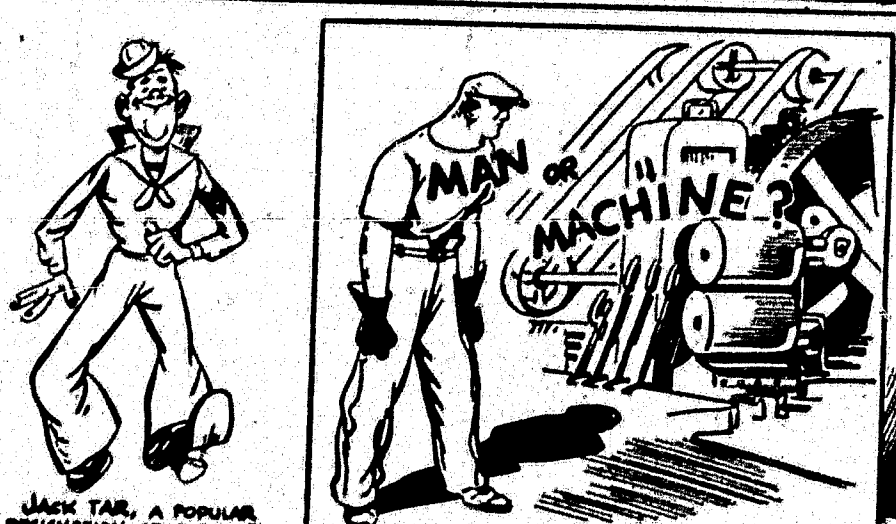
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The work of raising the track and laying rock ballast at the Bethel Grand Trunk station was completed Wednesday. The work covered about half a mile and the rails have been raised from two to eight inches. It is understood that the work will be continued in this vicinity next year.

THE POCKETBOOK  
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## CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, September 17

**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister  
11.00 a. m. Morning worship.  
Sermon subject, "The Healing Power of Religion."  
Junior Choir Rehearsal Saturday evening 6.30.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. M. A. Gordon, Pastor  
9.45 Church School. Mrs. Myrtle Lapham, superintendent. Plans are in making for Rally Day.

11.00 Sunday Morning Worship. Special singing by Choir. John Anderson, leader. Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist. Subject of sermon, "Our Claim."

6.30 p. m. Epworth League. Leaders, Kenneth Brooks, Madeline Bird.  
If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you. St. John 15: 7.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY**  
Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Services Sunday morning at 10:45. "Matter" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all churches of Christ, Scientist, Sept. 17.

The Golden Text is: "My flesh and my heart faileth: but God is the strength of my heart, and my portion for ever" (Psalms 73: 26).

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth" (John 4: 24).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

**BIRTHS**  
In Berlin, N. H., Sept. 8, to the wife of Frederick Stanley of Bethel, a son.

In Rumford, Sept. 8, to the wife of Roy Stearns of Hanover, a daughter, Bessie.

**MARRIAGES**  
In Bethel, Sept. 10, by Rev. H. T. Wallace, Philip G. Clark of Portland and Miss Roberta I. Browne of Bethel.

**DEATHS**  
In Rumford, Sept. 8, Miss Alno Maturo of West Paris, aged 24 years.

**BETHEL AND VICINITY**  
Frank Goddard is spending some time in Boston.  
Lloyd Luxon has been ill for several days this week.

## BETHEL AND VICINITY

The Bethel Farm Bureau women will meet at Mrs. F. I. French's Sept. 21. The subject is Handwork and Design and the meeting will be in charge of Mrs. Wilona Davis.

Work on the new telephone cable on Main, Church and Broad Streets was begun by a crew from Bethel, Vt., the first of the week. The cable had been put up some time ago by the Van Tel. & Tel. Co. crew and after the Vermont men have finished their work the remaining connections will be completed by the local telephone men.

Nine members of the Garden Club of Bethel met with Mrs. W. B. Twaddle Wednesday afternoon. In the absence of Mrs. D. C. Philbrook, her paper on House Plants was read by Mrs. P. S. Sayles and was of great interest to the members. Mrs. J. W. Carter spoke on Putting the Garden to Rest. The next meeting will be held Oct. 11 with Mrs. William C. Chapman 2nd.

Mrs. Herbert I. Bean was given a surprise party at her home Saturday evening in honor of her birthday by her daughter, Miss Florine Bean. Refreshments included a birthday cake made by Mrs. Bernice Spearin. Finch was enjoyed with the prize for high score going to Mrs. Perry Lapham.

Mrs. Bean received the consolation prize. Those present besides the honor guest were Mrs. Perry Lapham, Mrs. Bernice Spearin, Mrs. M. A. Gordon, Mrs. E. P. Brown, Mrs. Clifford Merrill, Mrs. Norman Hall, Mrs. H. P. Austin, Mrs. Alanson Tyler, and Mrs. D. G. Brooks.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Our sincere appreciation is extended to all who by thoughtful deeds, letters of sympathy, and flowers, remembered us at the time of our great bereavement.

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BETHEL GRANGE ELECTS  
AND INSTALLS OFFICERS

Bethel Grange No. 56 held its regular meeting Thursday evening, Sept. 7, with Brother Mason filling the Master's chair. The District Deputy, Brother Ellis Davis, and Sister Olive Davis of Franklin Grange were present for inspection.

The following officers were elected and installed by Brother Davis, assisted by Sister Davis.  
Master—Herman Mason  
Overseer—Fred Clark  
Treasurer—Hildred Bartlett

The Lecturer pro tem, Katherine Bennett, presented the following program:

Piano solo, Richard Russell  
Report on Pomona meeting at Upton, F. E. Russell and the Worthy Secretary

Song, "Be Faithful, O Patron," Grange

Remarks and Stories, District Deputy Davis

Reading, "Floral Weddings," Hildred Bartlett

Story and poem, "Let's Boost," Olive Davis

Songs, "Old Black Joe" and "Swanee River," Grange

Reading, "A Feller's Mother," Lillas Coolidge

Reading, "Central Man," Ella Clark

Song, "Good Night," Grange

Talk on Referendum Question, Brothers Davis and Russell

**ATTENDED TELEPHONE ASSOCIATION MEETING**

Several in this vicinity attended the annual conference of the Telephone Association of Maine on Sept. 6, at Poland Spring Hotel.

The conference opened at 9 o'clock and during the forenoon session Helen Hartnett of Portland and E. W. Nash of Damariscotta were speakers. After luncheon George Armstrong and H. Wendell Gerlach of Boston spoke of Commercial and Accounting Problems which were very interesting and helpful. About 125 attended the affair.

Those attending from this section were Abner Kimball, Leslie Kimball, Mrs. Lillian Brown and Mrs. Evelyn Brown of Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven and Miss Julia Brown of Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Haskell of North Norway; and John Deegan of Greenwood.

**AINO MATERO**  
Miss Aino Matero died at the Community Hospital, Rumford, Sept. 8. She was living at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Volvo Saarinen, West Paris, at the time of her death and was employed at Penley Bros. mill. She was the daughter of Oscar and Ida Sultinen Matero and was born in Greenwood Aug. 11, 1915. After her parents' death 15 years ago she made her home at John Mustonen's in Greenwood.

Funeral services were held from 1. W. Andrews & Son's funeral home Sunday and were very largely attended. Interment was in the Finnish Cemetery, West Paris.

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**LEGION AUXILIARY NOTES**  
The American Legion Auxiliary served the Chamber of Commerce with a 6.30 o'clock supper at their rooms Tuesday evening. The committee in charge were Marjorie McAllister, Iola Forbes, Frances Bennett, and L. Adeline Fish.

The A. L. Auxiliary will resume their meetings this Thursday evening at their rooms after the summer months. The various chairmen will be appointed for the coming year and activities will be discussed. All members are urged to attend.

The Second District Council of the American Legion Auxiliary will hold their first meeting of this year at Lisbon Falls Friday, Sept. 29, at 2 p. m.

**SONGO POND**  
Arthur Kimball has been working on the road in South Albany the past week.

Abner Kimball and Leslie Kimball were in Lewiston last Wednesday evening.

Adney Gurney and Joe Beaumier were in Lewiston Tuesday on business.

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